FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES I	N BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BARNETT F WILLIAM					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EAGLE MATERIALS INC [EXP]								heck a	onship of Reporti Il applicable) Director	,				
(Last) 3800 MA	(Fir	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2009									Officer (give title below)			(specify	
(Street) DALLAS (City)			75205 Zip)		4. If	Ame	ndment	Date o	f Original	Filed	(Month/Da	ay/Yea	ır)		ne) X	ual or Joint/Grou Form filed by Or Form filed by Mo Person	e Repo	rting Pers	on
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
Date			2. Transa Date (Month/I	Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)				nd S	. Amount of Jecurities Beneficially Dwned Following Reported	Form	nership : Direct · Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
									Code	v	Amount	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	. т	ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4)			(111501.4)
Restricted Common Stock Units ⁽¹⁾ 04/30/2				/2009		A		28.641	28.6413 A		\$0	(1)	8,099.7606		D				
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Derivative Security Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security Security		4. Transa Code (8)		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of		ount	8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.	tive derivative ty Securities	/ Di Or Or (I)). wnership orm: irect (D) · Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				

Explanation of Responses:

1. The grant reported above represents Restricted Common Stock Units ("RSUs") accrued in connection with a cash dividend paid by Issuer on its Common Stock and as a result of certain dividend equivalent rights associated with the reporting person's existing RSUs.

> /s/ Scott M. Wilson as Attorney-in-Fact for F. William 05/04/2009 **Barnett**

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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